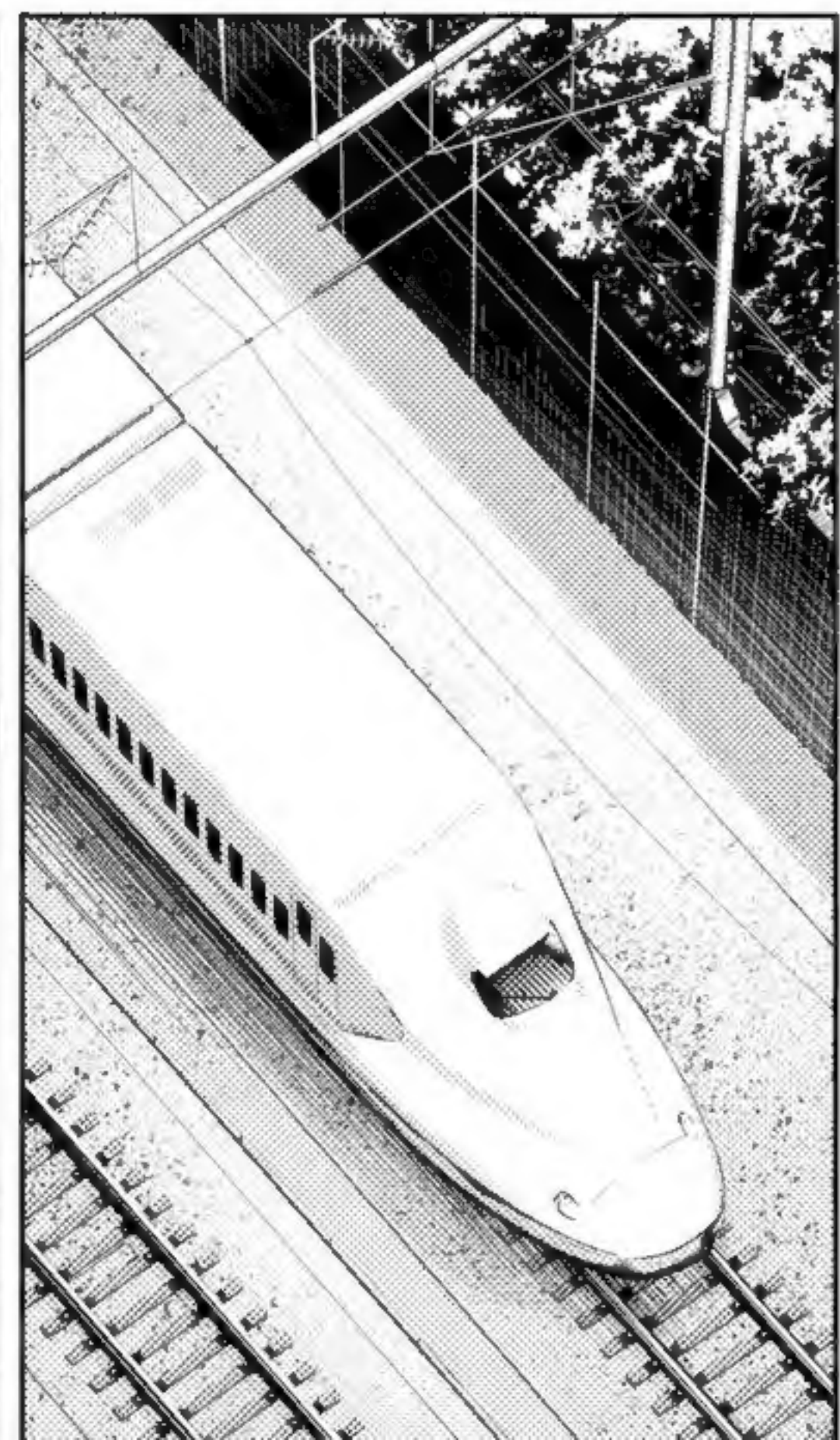
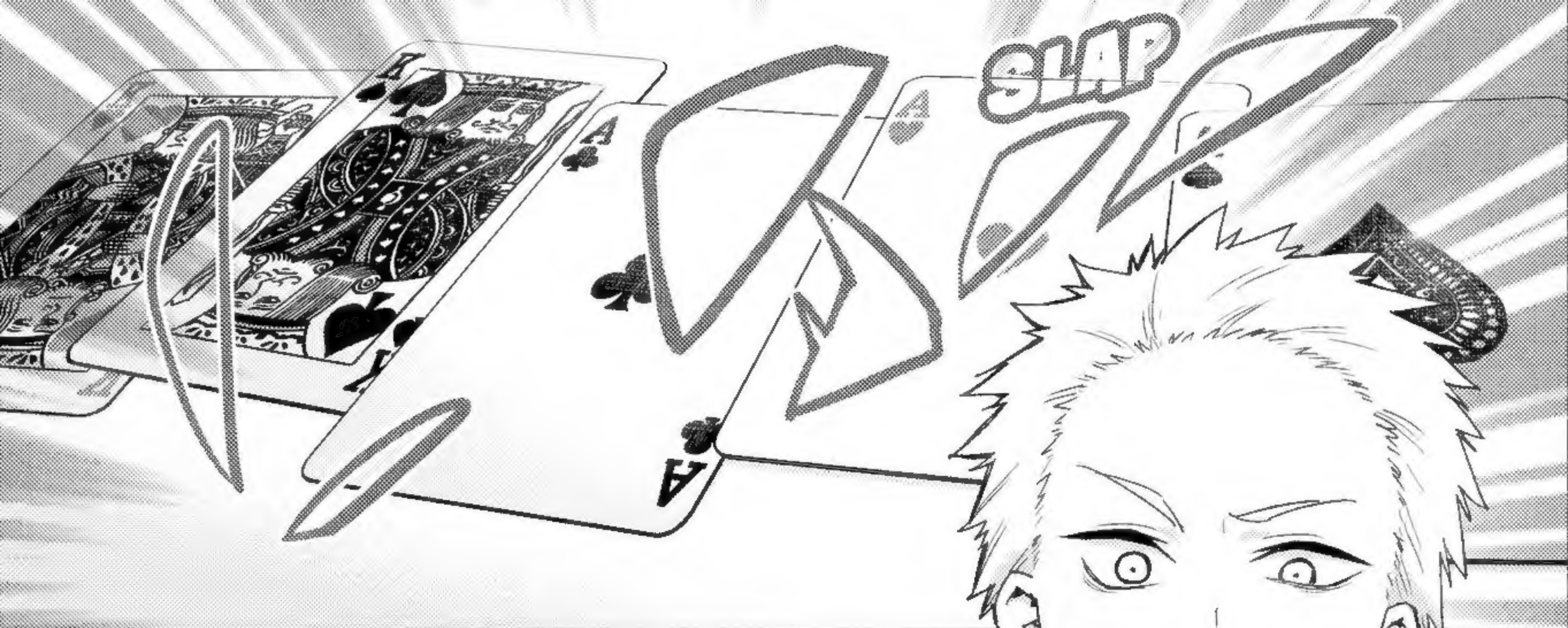






PREVIOUSLY... WITH HIS CONDITION TURNING FOR THE WORST DURING THE FIELD TRIP, FUTAROU WAS ADMITTED TO THE HOSPITAL, AND THE QUINTUPLETS WENT TO VISIT HIM. USING THIS OPPORTUNITY, ITSUKI INQUIRES ABOUT FUTAROU'S REASON FOR STUDYING.





MORE
IMPOR-
TANTLY,
IT'S TIME
FOR THE
PENALTY.



RIGHT?
YOU'RE PRETTY
GOOD AT
THESE SORTS
OF THINGS
EVEN THOUGH
YOU'RE AN
IDIOT.

HAHI?
SHUT
UP!

MAN,
YOU'RE
AMAZING,
FUUTAROU-
KUN.

HELL
YEEE
EEEE
EAH!

I WIN!



ARE WE
THERE
YET!?



P-PLEASE,
ANYTHING
BUT THAT!

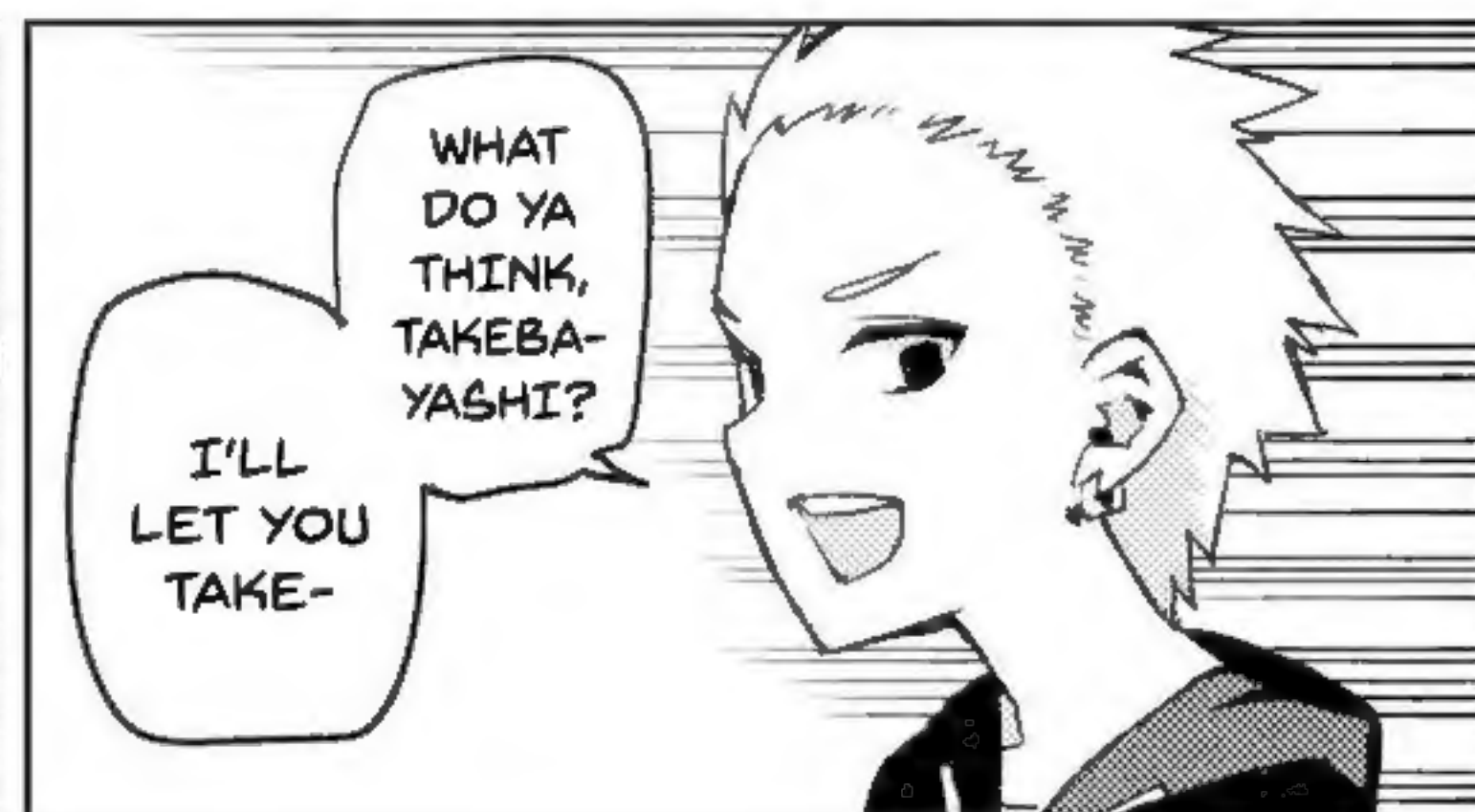
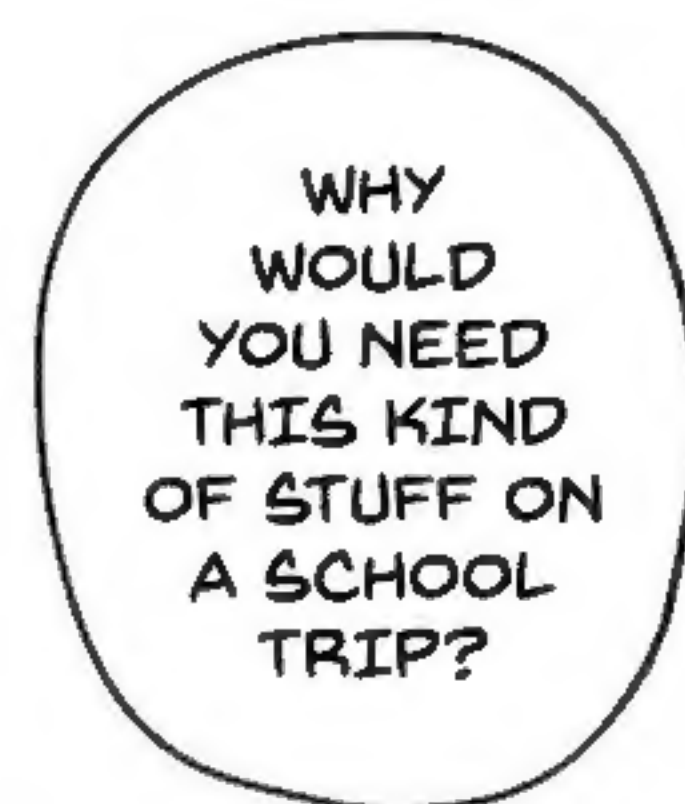
I HAVENT
BEEN ABLE
TO EAT FISH
SINCE THE
LAST ONE!

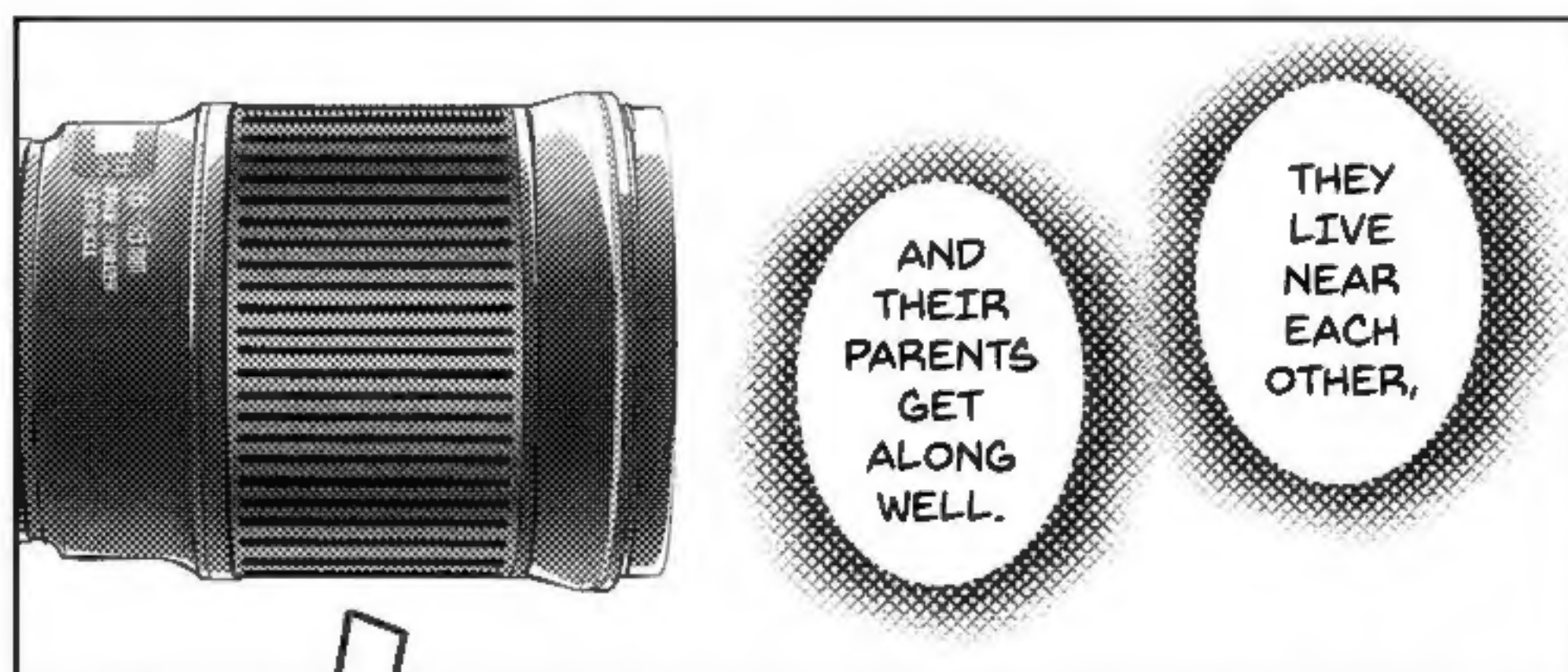
I DON'T
KNOW...

WHAT
DID YOU
MAKE
HIM
DO...?

FUUTA-
ROU!













N-NO I WASN'T!

SNEAKING A PHOTO OF ME!

YOU WERE



HAH?



WHAT DO YOU WANT, OLD LADY?

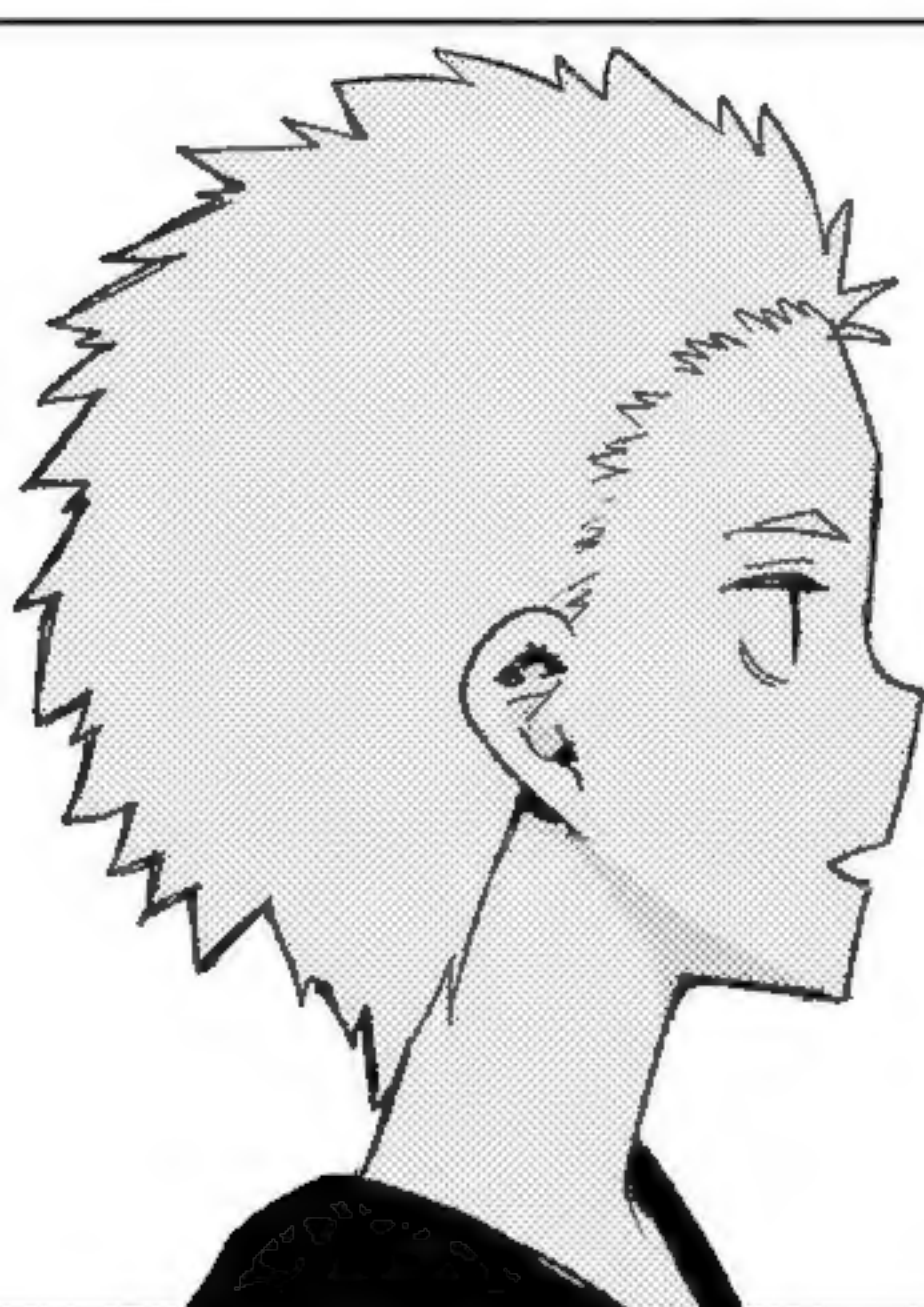
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IS THERE A PROBLEM?



YOU WERE TAKING A PICTURE OF ME JUST NOW, WEREN'T YOU?



MA'AM, PLEASE CALM DOWN.



THIS CHILD WAS BEWILDERED BY MY CHARMS AND TOOK A PHOTO OF ME!



COULD WE ASK YOU A FEW THINGS?

YOU THERE,



THE POLICE ...!!



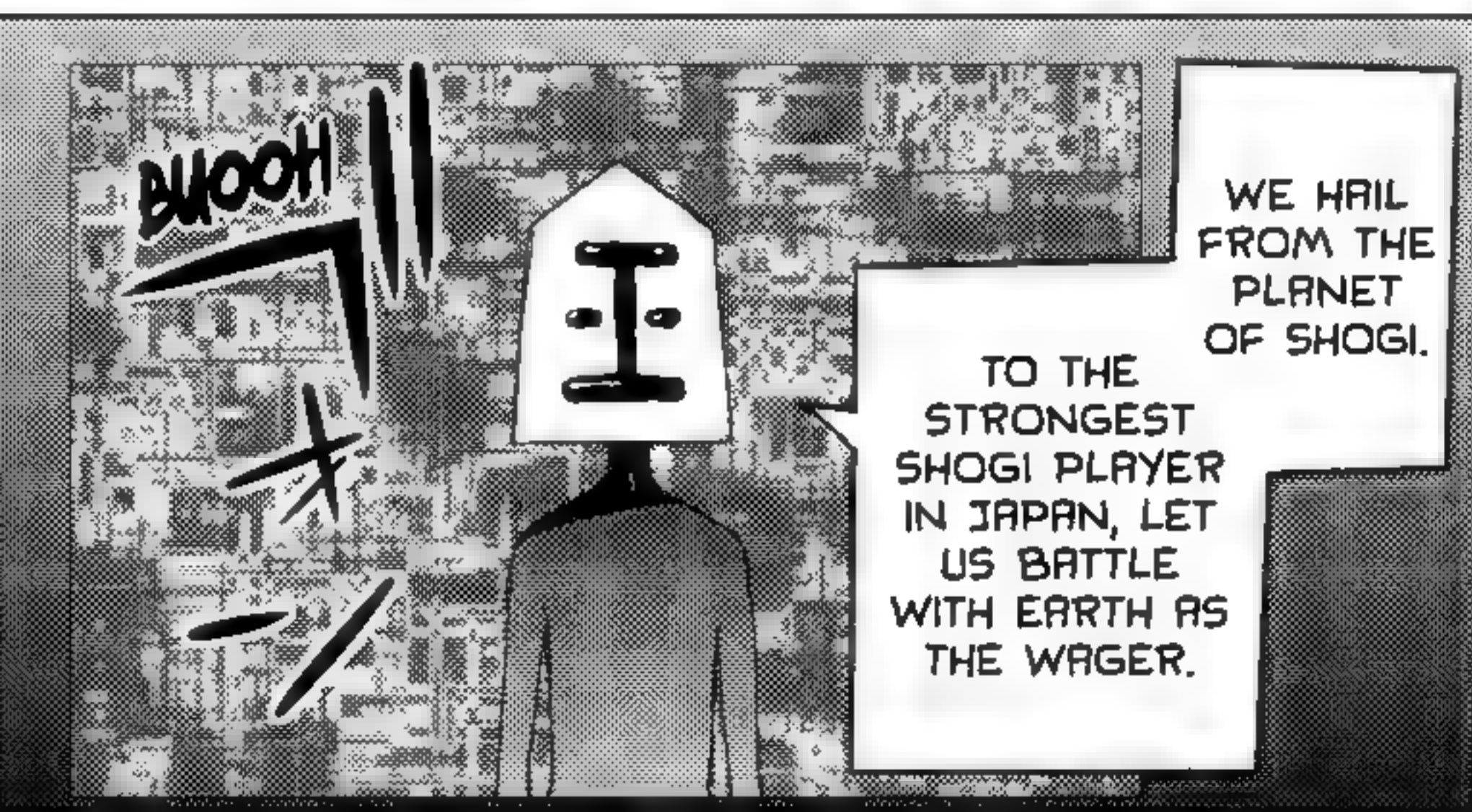






BREAKING NEWS.

AN UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT HAS APPEARED WITHIN JAPAN'S AIRSPACE.



AS OF RIGHT NOW, THE NATIONAL DIET BUILDING HAS BEEN OCCUPIED.



JUST WHEN IT WAS
GETTING TO THE
PART I WANTED TO
KNOW, THE STORY
ENDED IN A MESS!
WHAT HAPPENED
TO THE EARTH
AFTERWARDS!?

WHAT
THE
HECK
WAS
THAT!?

I ONLY
HUMOURED
YOUR REQUEST
A LITTLE...

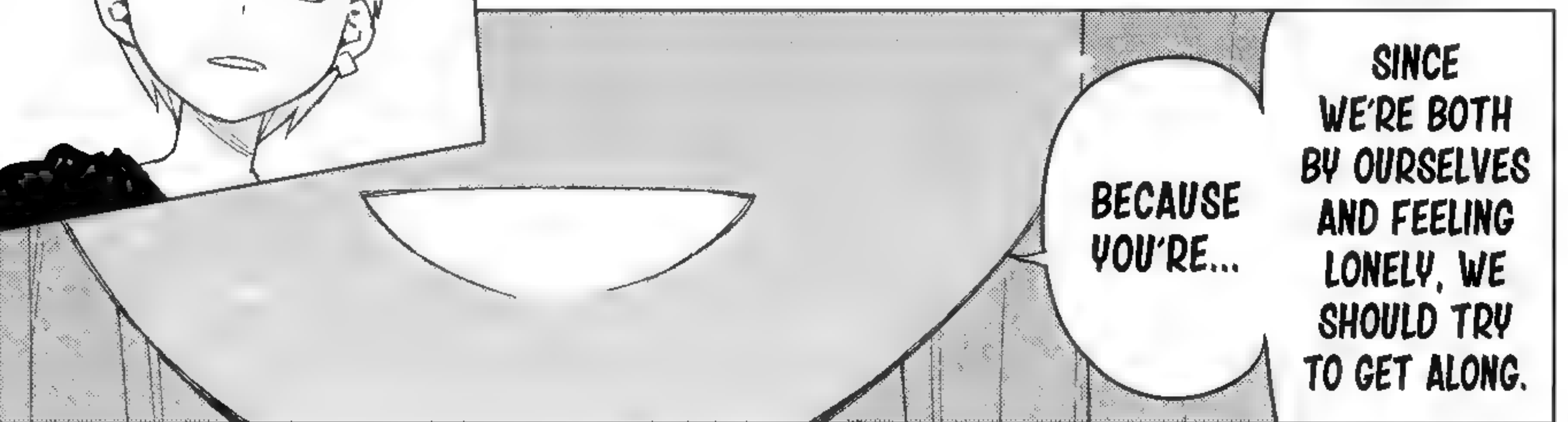
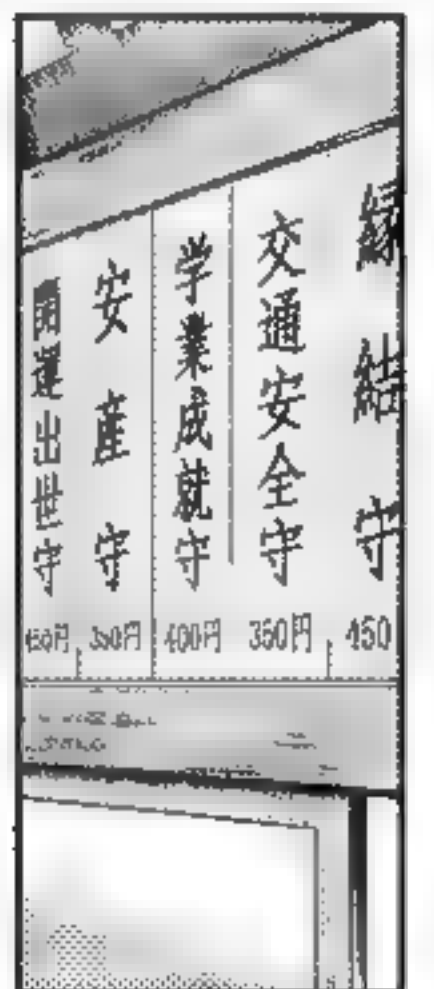
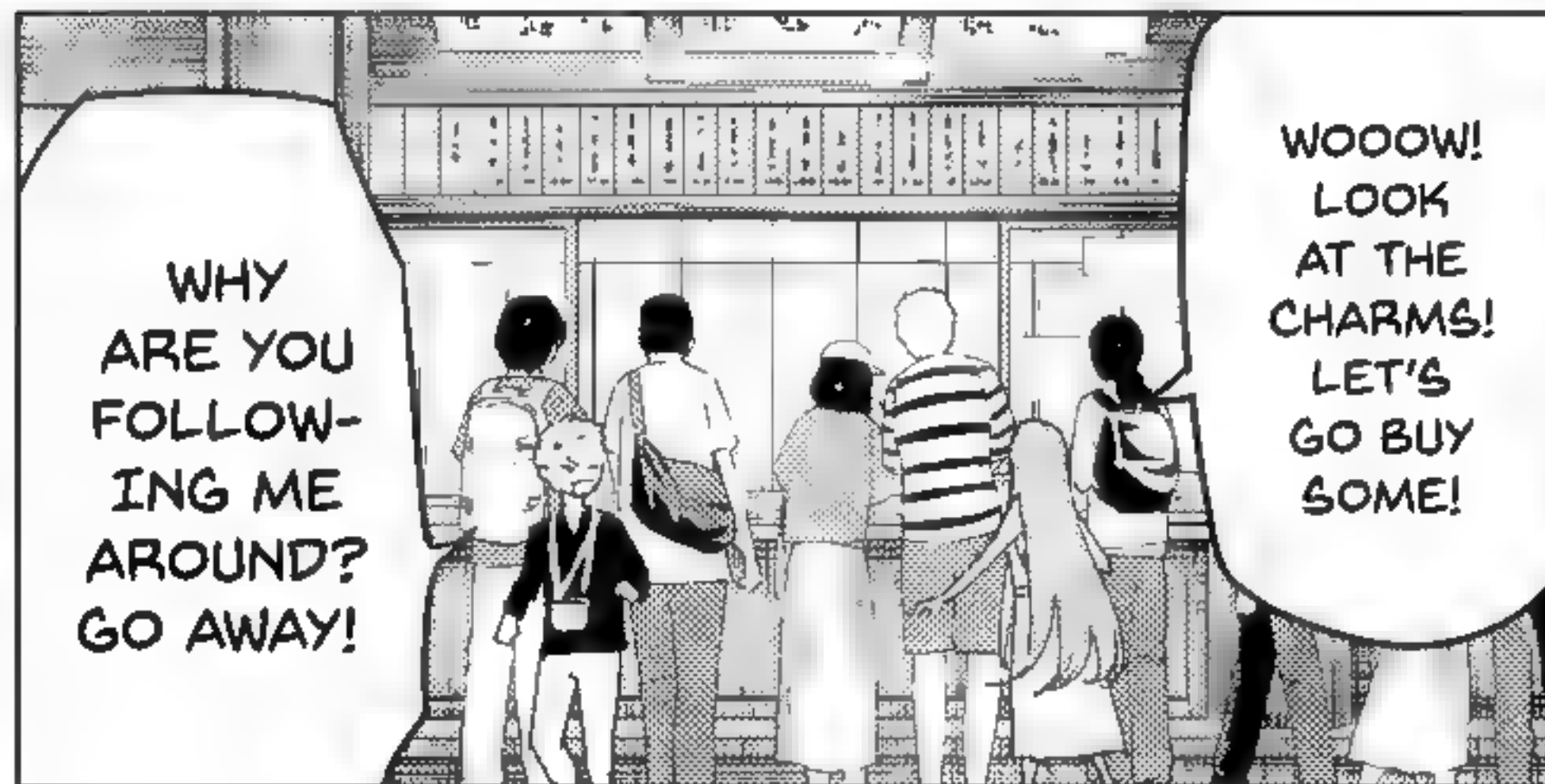
AND
I DON'T
EVEN WANT
TO TALK
ABOUT IT.

I NEVER
SAID I WAS
GOING TO
TELL YOU.

AS
THANKS
FOR THE
OTHER
DAY.

THIS
HASN'T
EXACTLY
BEEN WELL-
CONVEYED,
BUT...

I CAN
TELL THERE
IS A LARGE
DIFFERENCE
BETWEEN THE
PAST "YOU" AND
THE CURRENT
"YOU."





hey,
LET'S GET
A PHOTO
TOGETHER!

OI!

DON'T
TOUCH
THAT
WITHOUT
ASKING!



Slink



YOU'RE
NECES-
SARY
TO ME.



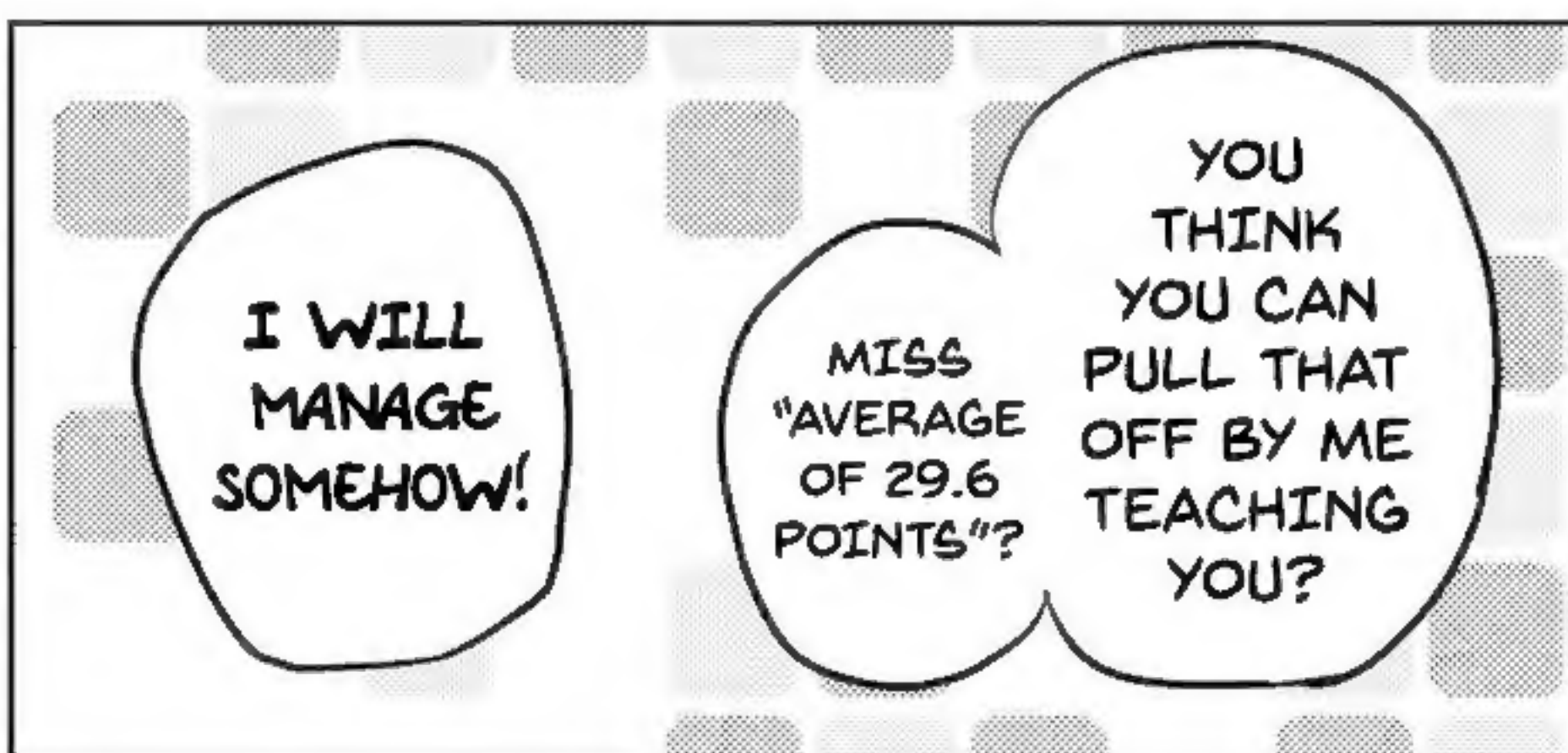
BECAUSE
YOU...

I'D LIKE
FOR YOU TO
HELP ME
DO SO.

ARE
NECES-
SARY
TO US.



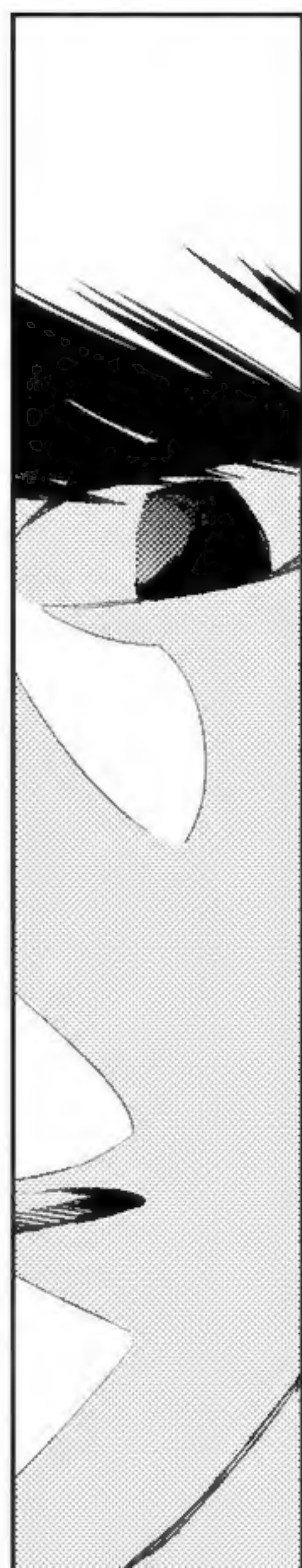
IF IT IS
ANYTHING
WITHIN
MY POWER,
I WILL
DO IT!



I WILL
MANAGE
SOMEHOW!

MISS
"AVERAGE
OF 29.6
POINTS"?

YOU
THINK
YOU CAN
PULL THAT
OFF BY ME
TEACHING
YOU?



FIVE,
IN
FACT...



NOW THAT
I THINK
ABOUT IT,
THAT GIRL
BOUGHT
SOMETHING
SIMILAR,

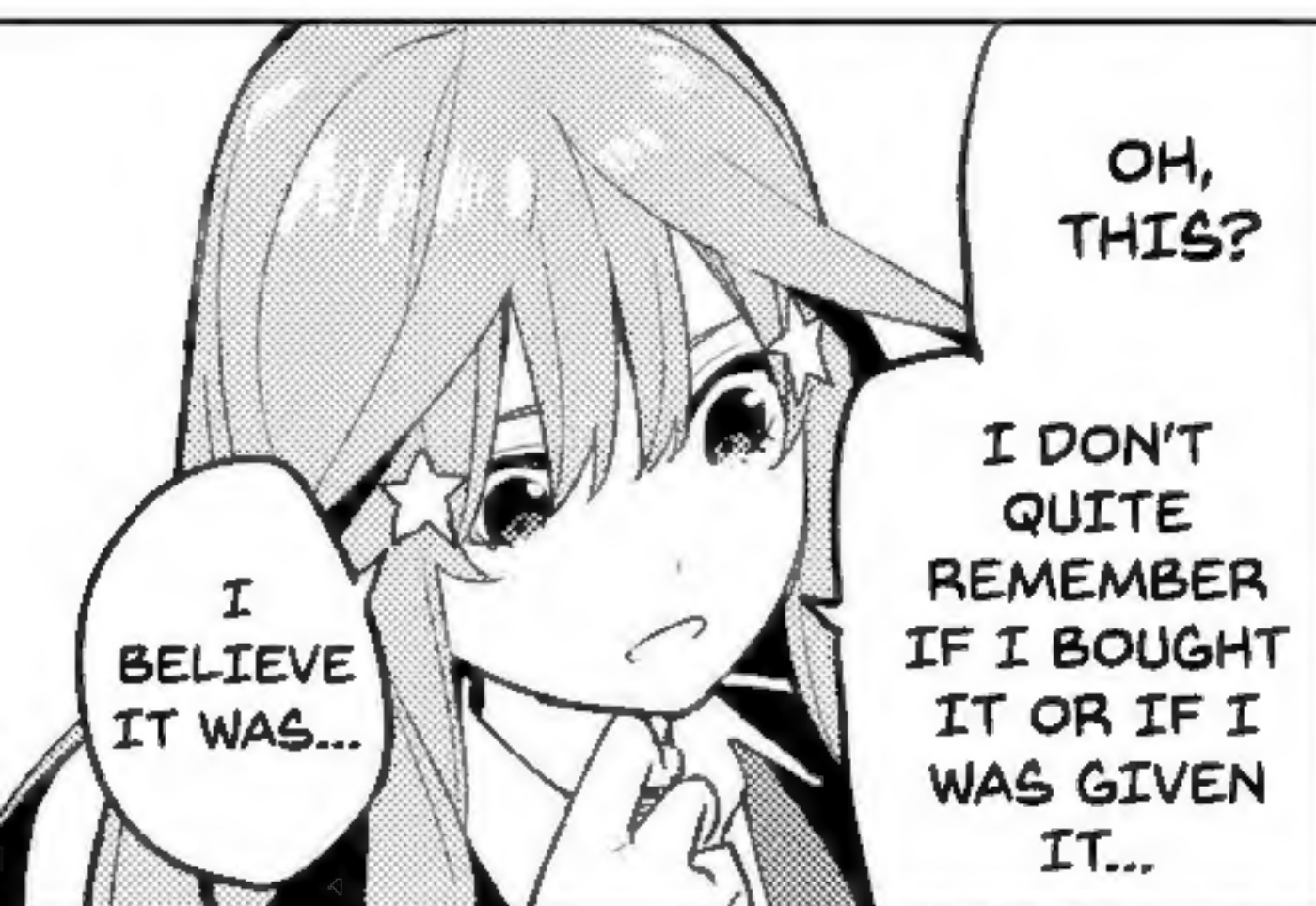
AND A
CRAPLOAD
OF THEM
TOO.



I EVEN
BROUGHT
OUT MY
OLD
CHARM!



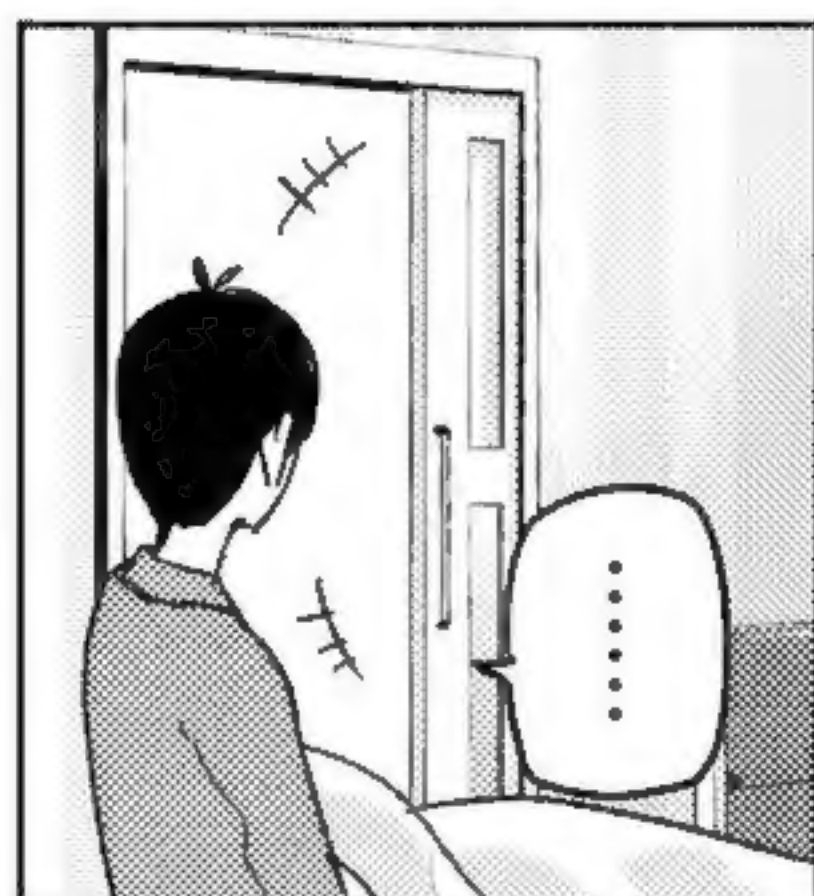
YOU'RE
PLEADING
TO THE
GODS?





P-
PLEASE
WAIT!

ITSUKI!
I'VE RESIGNED
MYSELF AND
I'M TAKING
YOU WITH ME!



AH!
ITSUKI!

SO
THAT'S
WHERE
YOU
WERE!

LOOKS
LIKE WE
DIDN'T
NEED TO
LOOK ALL
OVER THE
PLACE.

NOW THAT
WE HAVE
EVERYONE,
WE CAN
FINALLY
GO.

NNGH...

!



IN
KYOTO...

FIVE
YEARS
AGO...



IT'S
JUST A
COINCI-
DENCE,
RIGHT?

TO BE CONTINUED

FUTAROU IS GOING TO REALIZE THE GIRL
IN THE PHOTO = ONE OF THE QUINTUPLETS...?